### MEW-YORKISMS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEW YORK, August 14, 1869. The Serimschaw Pavements. Before the Scrimschaw (sometimes known as the Concrete) pavement was laid down in this city, whether it would answer or not became a mooted question. The upper part of Fifth avenue is now paved with it, and it is found to be just the thing, smooth enough to parlor-skate over or to play at billiards or ten-pins on. In fact, it is a practical evidence of the superiority of the Concrete over the Abstract, for when the Scrimschaw pavement was only a theory, its practical success was greatly and almost universally doubted.

Telegraphic Communication between this city and Brooklyn is shut off for the present. No one seems to be much afflicted at the fact, no one indeed seems to be aware of it, although it is a fact that since Wednesday not a flash of electric intelligence has passed between the two cities. On that day, while the rocks at Hell Gate were being blasted, the cable communication was broken, and has not yet been re-established.

The new Woodruff Saloon Palace Sleeping Car

arrived yesterday afternoon from Wilmington. Del. It is built for the Central Transportation Company, to run direct from Jersey City to Sacramento, and went yesterday on a trial trip as far as Elizabeth and back. It is to leave on Monday for Sacramento, bearing away the Congressional Retrenchment Committee, and about three dozen "guests," who will be carried gratis on condition of paying full fare! Yesterday afternoon the first of

The Eric Railway Cabs appeared on Broadway. Of course, it attracted a vast amount of attention, and was saluted by the gamins with "Three cheers for Fisk!" It was painted of a light grey color, and accommodated four persons. You remember the fact of a young lady, a Glen Cove, L. I., recently

Marrying Her Father's Conchman. The gentleman is now perfectly willing to re sign the lady, on condition of receiving ten thousand dollars and no questions asked.

If you want to taste, as well as touch, California gold, I advise you, when you come to New York, to buy some of the California Bartlett Pears.

When they first arrive they sell for sixty or seventy cents apiece. Those which arrived a few days ago have passed from ripeness into rottenness, and can now be bought for ten cents You may perhaps have noticed in some of the

New York newspapers persistent mention of A Person Named Brentano,

who gratuitously supplies them with periodicals of every description. He is by birth a Frenchman, and by nature penurious, and, notwithstanding obstacles which would have blocked the progress of less indomitable men, has built up a business which many merchants more abundantly gifted with physical blessings might envy him. Some years ago his store-which, considering the business that he does, is one of the meanest looking little holes along Broadwaybecame the resort of young bloods and eccentricity-hunters, from the mere fact that the late Menken used to make her literary purchases there at five o'clock in the afternoons. The poetic equestrienne was wont to examine his stock with Mazeppian imperturbability, notwithstanding the warm regards showered upon her by a dozen Park Row and Broadway,

upon the sides which are to be occupied by the new Post Office, are utterly impassable. A wooden fence twelve feet high is flush with the curbstone, and the crowd which surges around that point of the city is three times its ordinary complexity. The fruiterers and newspaper venders who formerly made it their mart have been compelled to move further up, and this has not tended to the relief of Broadway in the vicinity of Canal street. Yesterday afternoon the joint committee of the Common Council, with the object of changing the site of the new Post Office, held an adjourned meeting. No one being present on the part of the Government, however, the meeting was adjourned until next Monday, In order then to receive any proposition that the Government might wish to present. The return from Washington of Mr. Mullett, chief architect. will by that time be looked for, and "something definite" be done. Did you ever hear of

Pink Poodles? Strange as it may seem, that is the canine caprice of the hour. In the midst of the shower tha yesterday afternoon distributed its salubrious wetness over the city, a little pug-nosed poodle dyed of a brilliant pink, made its debut on Broadway, near Union Square, accompanied by a young lady who evidently held towards it the relation of nursery-governess. This emine coloring is only an old fashion revived. It came to a dead stop some few months ago, and now promises to renew a spasmodic existence.

The squabble between the Tailors and Their Employers has subsided very quietly, both parties claiming the victory. About a dozen firms, capable of giving employment to two thousand men, have given in. The strike will probably end to-day, and by Monday the tailors will be holding their noses to the needle as pertinaciously as though no ambitious dreams of fifty per cent. increase of wages had ever disturbed their tranquillity. The shop-tailors' purposes are as crossed as their legs, and will probably remain so.

The Sorosis has just been doing a good thing. This is the appointment of a presentation committee to wait upon Miss Ida Lewis, the Light House Heroine, and present her with a testimonial from that gentlemanly body of females. The committee consists of Mrs. Croly, Mrs. Wilbour. Mrs. Van Brunt, Miss Fuller, and Miss Frost. and the testimonial is composed of the Serosian insignia, enlarged, of solid gold and richly enamelled. Is presentation constitutes Miss Lewis an honorary member of the first Woman's Society in America. When the Sorosis meets, two duties generally lie before it, which it despatches with equal alacrity. These duties are-loquacity and lunch. At this last meeting, however, the fact that its subject was a woman, one of the noblest of her sex, seemed to urge the oratresses on, and instead of the launching of feminine philippics, some really good sensible sentences were hit off, which must last us until the next meeting in October.

The Beautiful Blande. It is understood that Mr. Henderson (the beautiful blond whom Miss Thompson touch-ingly styles her partner) sticks to his Markham, and that that young lady is to form an item in the Thompson troupe forthcoming in Philadelphia. If so, the tactics have been greatly changed. The pale Pauline, with the languidly sweet eyes and the sensuously tinted lips, was to have been relegated to the Tammany. After the glory of having been a favorite at Niblo's, this would have been painful indeed. But when personal beauty is unsupported by any other merit, except that of private irreproachability, the transit from the glowing theatre to the glaring music hall is rapid indeed. For this are we burlesque-blondists!

Apropos of Daly's Fifth Avenue Theatre, Mr. E. L. Davenport is only engaged for six weeks, during the run of Play, and Mrs. Scott-Siddons (whose parts flowers) Siddons (whose name figures among those of the stock company) only during the run of Twelfth ALI BABA.

Amusements.

AT THE WALNUT the regular season will commence this evening with the performance of a new sensational drama entitled Duty, by Henry Leslie. This piece will be put upon the stage with new scenery and effects, and it will introduce to the public several of the new members of the company.

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ALTEMUS.—On Thursday, the 12th instant, THOMAS, son of Samuel T, and the late Charlotte E, Altemus, in the 28th year of his age.

The male relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his brother-in-law, W. E. Crockett, No. 335 N. Thirty-third street, on Monday merning, the 18th instant, at 10 o'clock Interment at Laurel Hill.

BANTER.—Suddenly, on the 11th instant, GEORGE BANTER, aged 50 years, only son of Mrs. Sarsh Baxter.

His relatives and friends, and the members of William B. Schneider Lodge, No. 418, A. Y. M., also United States Lodge, No. 34, I. O. of O. F.; also, Arcadia Lodge, No. 13, from the residence of his mother, No. 102 Pegg street, on Monday morning at 10 o'clock. To proceed to Mount Peace Cemetery.

CHAVE.—On the 10th instant, HENRY CHAVE, in the 25d year of his age, son of the late George Chave, of New York.

The relatives and friends, also the Assistance Steam Fire Company. No. 8, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his uncle, George Clopp, No. 822 N. Third street, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

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FARR.—On the 13th instant, JAMES B., son of Mary G. and the late Elisha D. Farr, in the 56th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 1746 N. Thirteenth street, on Monday, the 16th instant, at 4 o'clock P. M. Interment at Monument Cemetery. (Washington papers please copy.)

McDERMOTT.—On the 15th instant, EDWARD McDERMOTT, in the 21st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully requested to attend his funeral, from the residence of his father-in-law, Jos P. Hazzard, N. E. corner of Second and Almond streets, on Monday morning at 856 o'clock. Funeral services at St. Phillip de Neri's Church. Interment at Cathedral Cemetery.

McGEEHAN. — Drowned, August 12, ROBERT McGEEHAN, in the 9th year of his age.

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RICHARDSON.—On the 12th instant, CHARLES R. months.

THOMAS.—Suddenly, on the 11th instant, EDWARD H. THOMAS, in the 49th year of his age.

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